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# The PANTHER

## PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY

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## Chancellor Hubert Makes First PV Visit



**TAMUS CHANCELLOR** — Frank Hubert is escorted across campus by President A. I. Thomas. The new System head spent a full busy day at PV last week.

## TAMU Dean of Education Named to Head A&M System

Dr. Frank W. R. Hubert who has served as a dean at Texas A&M University for two decades became chancellor of The Texas A&M University System on October 1.

Dr. Hubert's appointment was announced by Clyde H. Wells, chairman of The Texas A&M University System Board of Regents, who has been carrying out the duties of the chancellor since the resignation of Dr. Jack K. Williams in January.

Hubert, 64, currently serves as dean of Texas A&M's College of Education. He

joined the university in 1959 as dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, which has since been divided into five units with "college" designation. He served as dean of the College of Liberal Arts from 1965 until 1969 when he became Texas A&M's first and only dean of education.

A native of Milam County, Hubert holds three degrees from the University of Texas at Austin, receiving his Ph.D. in educational administration and American local government in 1950.

Prior to joining Texas A&M he served four years as

superintendent of schools at Orange, where earlier in his career he was a principal and director of secondary education. From 1950 until 1955 he was director of the Texas Education Agency's Division of Professional Standards.

Dr. Hubert is widely published in educational journals and has held leadership roles on numerous state and national committees. He has just been appointed to the Commission on Standards for the Teaching Profession in Texas. He is a past president of the Association of Texas Colleges and Universities.

With flashing wit and a smile to match, Dr. Frank Hubert, new chancellor of the sprawling Texas A&M University System, visited Prairie View A&M University last week and listened with interest to faculty, staff and students who presented a little of the past, present and future of the university.

"This has been an impressive display, particularly on the part of the students," said Dr. Hubert following a luncheon meeting with staff and students. "I like what the students talked about, mostly their personal aspects."

Dr. A. I. Thomas, president of Prairie View A&M University welcomed the new chancellor about 9 a.m. before he met with some 25 top echelon faculty.

Each dean and department head gave thumbnail sketches of what was going on in his or her department, then projected things to come in the future.

Following the initial board meeting in Dr. Thomas' office, Dr. Hubert had this to say:

"We will spend more time here, and will watch with keen interest Prairie View A&M University's master plan."

The new chancellor heard Dr. Fred Richards, college of agriculture, explain how the university is striving to place more minorities in animal science.

He also listened intently to Dr. Ivory Nelson, vice president of research and special programs, tell where the current \$9.4 million in grants are being spent.

Said Dr. Nelson: "We do not want to get into grant programs that are not designed for Prairie View A&M University . . . just to have such and such program is not our aim. We look for two things, areas that are not trafficked, and ones that deal with people."

Questions flowed freely from Dr. Hubert after every exposure with the most frequent being, "is this realistic?" following mostly projected figures about enrollment.

Hoover Carden, administrator of the Cooperative Extension Program, explained how the university has helped some 59,000 families increase their annual income by 36 percent.

With a preface of "When I heard that Aggies might be at this luncheon, I decided to make my speech short and simple," Dr. Eugene Brams launched into explanations of "vertical transfer of technology," after the laughter died down.

After Dr. Brams speech, Dr. Hubert flashed a quick smile and said: "Your speech was short as promised, but not too

National Urban League

## Black Business Executives Slated for Campus Lectures

Two top-level business executives have been scheduled as visiting lecturers at the University during the month of November. Both are sponsored by the National Urban League's Black Executive Exchange Program (BEEP).

Robert S. Early, vice president for personnel management at Columbia University in New York City, lectured in a business policy class earlier this month.

Waldron H. Giles, program manager for the General Electric Company in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania will speak to a class in chemistry on November 28-29.

At General Electric, Giles is responsible for business and technical development of NASA programs. His areas of activity include planetary probes, shuttle intergration, and experiment intergration. His group provided direct support to the Viking Mars space effort.



**Robert S. Early**

A Chemistry graduate of Rutgers University, Dr. Giles earned his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in Physical Chemistry at New York University. Prior to assuming his present position, he held a variety of responsibilities in engineering management with General Electric.

## COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

### TOWN HALL PROGRAM

Thursday, December 6

Thursday, December 6 — 3:00-5:00 p.m.

## School of Business Hosts Town Hall

To aid students in gaining better knowledge and understanding of our private enterprise system, the Texas Association of Business (TAB) is sponsoring a College Town Program at Prairie View A&M University, Prairie View, in the Hobart Taylor Sr. Hall — 1A110, from 3:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 6, 1979.

With 25 years of successful existence, TAB Town Halls are question-and-answer panel programs offered to Texas high school and college students. Candid and informal, these programs provide for students the opportunity to discuss all aspects of today's business world with business executives of proven experience from area companies.

Dr. Bernice Rollins, Prairie

View A&M University, is the Town Hall campus coordinator. Ben Hardeman, president, OMC Industries, Inc., Bryan, will be the moderator of these panels: William M. Krocak, personnel manager, Imperial Sugar Company, Sugar Land; Barbara A. Alderson, public relations coordinator, Exxon Company, U.S.A., Houston; Bill E. Brown, personnel director, Texas Instruments Inc., Houston; and Morris Kruemcke, president, All State Erectors, Inc., Houston.

Established in 1922, TAB is one of the oldest and largest state associations, comprised of some 7,000 members and some 4,000 member-firms. TAB's objective — to build a better climate for Texas business and industry.

## Alpha Phi Alpha Plans Founders Day Services

The guest speaker for the Annual Founders' Day Celebration of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., will be Dr. Otis King, Dean of the Thurgood Marshall School of Law, Texas Southern University, Houston.

The event will be held in the Hobart Taylor Hall on the Prairie View A&M University Campus on Sunday, December 2, at 3:00 p.m.

The celebration is co-sponsored by Eta Gamma and Epsilon Tau Lambda chapters (collegiate and alumni) of the Fraternity following the theme — "Children of Today: Leaders of Tomorrow."

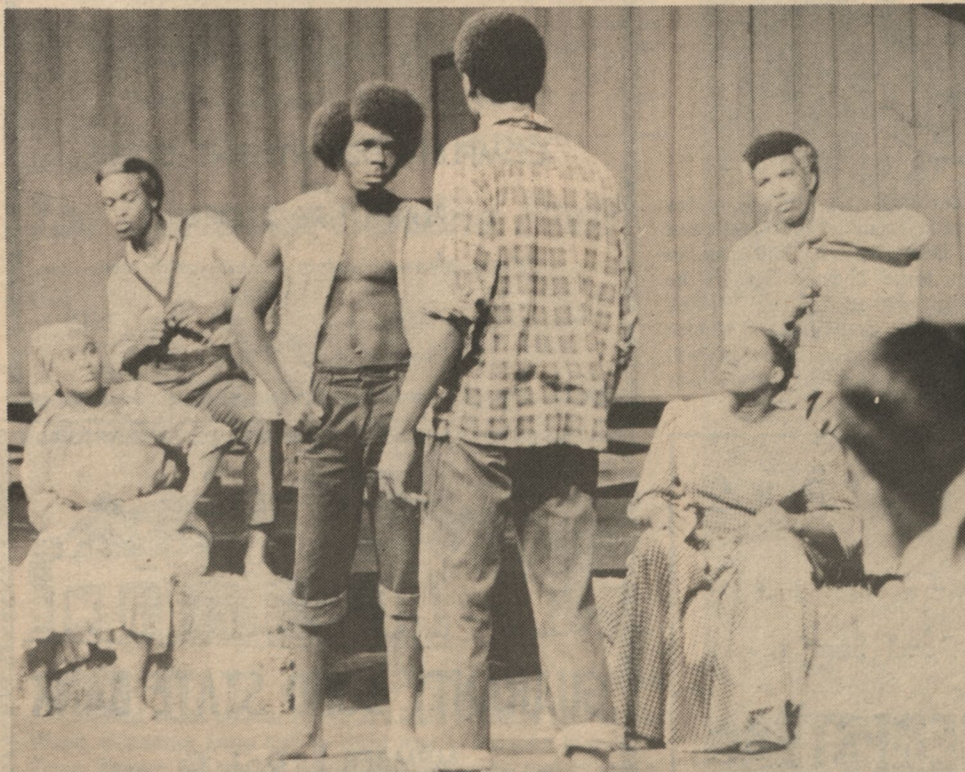
simple. Let me ask a question?" More laughter.

Dr. Thomas and his entire board agreed that the meeting was warm, witty and productive.



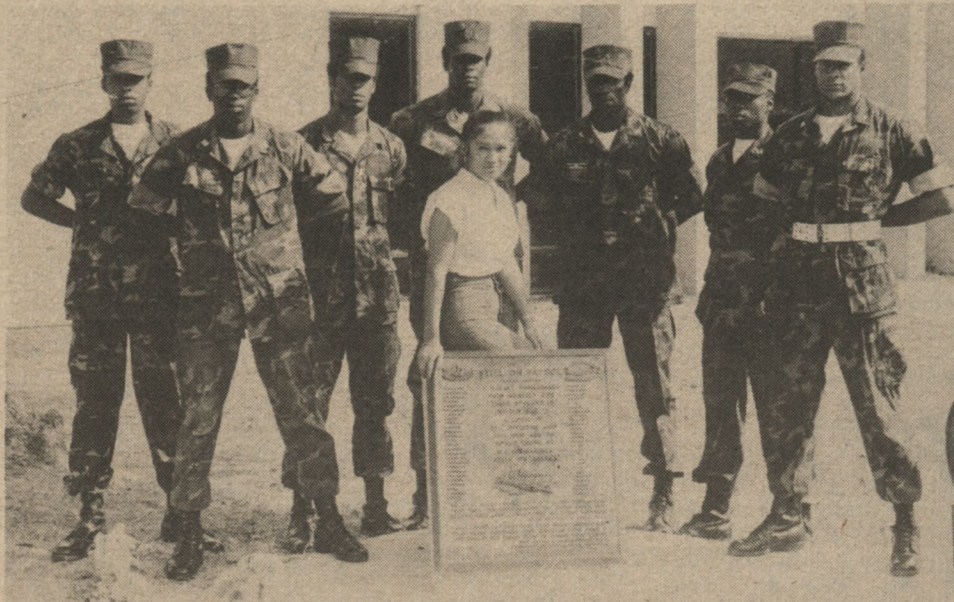
**DR. OTIS KING, TSU Law Dean to serve as Alpha Phi Alpha Founders Day speaker on December 2.**

All persons of the community are invited to attend. Sunday, December 2, — Hobart Taylor Hall, 3:00 p.m.



**LITTLE THEATER PRESENTATION** — Campus dramatic group is pictured in a scene from "Dark of the Moon," a play, directed by Clarence Turner and presented several evening during homecoming week.





MARINES posing in front of Burleson-Ware Hall include (from left) Darryl Parrish, Jimmy Wilson, Lee Gardner, Vince Dixon, Charles Page, Darryl James and George McNary. The extra-added attraction is Irene Carrizales, a junior beauty from Dallas.

## Coming of Age

The Marines have been on campus since 1968 and expect to be around for some time to come. Recently, Marines officer candidates in the NROTC Program participated in the 1st Annual Marine Corps Reserve Officer Association — Natural Run and Gulf Association AAU 20 kilometer (12.4 miles) championship in the Woodlands.

National Lite Beer Division of Anheuser Busch, Inc. and Southwest Distributing Company, Inc. sponsored the run.

This highly elite group of men undertook this event to promote team spirit (Es spirit de Corps) and to demonstrate the zeal the Marine Corps has become famous for in its two hundred and four years of existence.

First place in this tiring and testing event went to Frank Shorter, a world class olympic runner with a time of one hour and one minute. All Marines from Prairie View A&M University finished under the two hour mark with the fastest group time of 1½ hours put in by Gunnery Sergeant James Brock. Other members of the team were Captain John Thomas, Misshipmen Vinca Dixon, Lee Gardner, Darryl James, James Perry, Nelie Gordon, George McNary, Frank Jones, Maurice Thomas.

While the Soviet Union is leading the world again this year in total wheat production with 85 million metric tons, the figure indicates nearly a 30 percent decline from the U.S.S.R.'s 1978 output.

## PV Students Visit LBJ School of Law

By Joann Alderson

On November 9 and 10, five students from Prairie View A&M University visited the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, at the University of Texas at Austin. Each student had grade point averages of 3.0 or better.

The purpose of the conference was to introduce the public Sector Careers and Graduate Education program to minority students.

Dean Elspeth Rostow (dean of LBJ) welcomed students and introduced them to the LBJ school of Public Affairs. There were several students who are currently enrolled at LBJ which gave visiting students insight on what the LBJ school is really like. They spoke about the importance of government, the ability to design, manage and monitor and also job opportunities for minority students.

After a brief tour of the school the students had a chance to chat with Professor (excongresswoman) Barbara Jordan.

The students from Prairie View were accompanied by Hulen Davis, head of department, political science. The students who represented Prairie View were Sharon Kirby, Cynthia McKinney, Euneva Parks, Elaine Price and JoAnn Alderson. There were students who represented other universities as well.

### LBA New Horizons

On Tuesday, November 21, 1979, Les Beaux Arts Cultural Fraternity, Inc. will sponsor a Memorial service at Prairie View Cemetery in commemoration of Prairie View's deceased administrators. The time is 1:30 p.m.

Brother Cowboy GT



PV GIFT FROM INDUSTRY — Exxon Company U.S.A. check is presented to Prairie View A&M by Orby Brumfield. Dr. A. I. Thomas, accompanied by School of Business Dean Bernice Rollins, accepts the gift.

## Blacks Should Think Before They React

By David Harris

Choosing a president is a difficult task that we all will have to encounter.

Senator Edward Kennedy has officially announced that he will run for the Democratic nomination for president. Along with his decision, I'm sure came guaranteed votes. Why? Because he's a Kennedy. I'm sure most of you are aware of the fact that his brothers were very popular among people. But, is this a good enough reason to vote for Senator Edward Kennedy. Maybe or Maybe Not.

Some people have already abandoned President Carter. Chicago's mayor Jane Byrne,

has reversed her decision by saying that she will now endorse Kennedy for president instead of Carter. I'm sure most people will follow suit and do the same thing. Not taking into consideration what accomplishments President Carter has made. Carter has placed many Blacks in high positions. But he has not done well regarding foreign policies.

I'm sure those of you that have brothers or sisters will agree that, you may or may not do the same things as well as your brother or sister.

Blacks have become a big part in selecting a president so, I think that Blacks should think before they react.



ALL-FAITH CHAPEL GIFT — Mrs. Ulysses Bell, Delta Sigma Theta, president, presents \$200 check from the graduate chapter to President Thomas and All-Faith Chapel organize, Rev. W. Van Johnson.

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## World, National and State NEWS BRIEFS

### HOUSTON LOSING FEDERAL JOBS TO SUBURBAN AREAS

Houston, New York City, Boston, Chicago, Detroit and Los Angeles are losing federal jobs to suburbs. The decline has taken place despite an increase in total federal employment of 29,000 jobs during the same period. Houston loss 2,547 federal jobs, dropping from 16,489 to 13,942.

### WORKING WOMEN HAVE BECOME NEW DARLINGS OF ADVERTISING WORLD, SAYS MS. PUBLISHER

Patricia T. Carbine, publisher and editor-in-chief of Ms. magazine think it is important to acknowledge that women are stepping out of old roles and trying to move into arenas and exercise options that hadn't been possible before; also that women advertisers and women employed outside the home are not working out of sheer economic necessity.

### TEXAS STUDENTS SCORE LOW ON JOBSEEKER SKILLS TEST

The Texas Education Agency reported that eighth and 11th graders scored high in human relations and scored low in career and occupational information, job acquisition and economic factors influencing career opportunity. The associate Education Commissioner said students who watch three hours of television scored lower than those who watched one to two hours daily.

### NIGERIA, AMERICA'S NO. 2 OIL SUPPLIER, TO INCREASE PRICE OF CRUDE

Lagos, Nigeria (AP) — Nigeria, the United States' second-largest supplier of imported oil, said Saturday it will raise its crude oil price by \$2.70 a barrel to \$26.20. Another OPEC nation, the United Arab Emirates, said it was considering cutting back production.

### STATE FAIR RIDE INSPECTION BANNED

Dallas (AP) — U.S. District Judge Eldon Mahon of Fort Worth granted a request by the State Fair of Texas to prohibit the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission from inspecting the gondola ride which plunged to the midway on the fair's last day, killing one man and injuring 16 persons. The State Fair said the commission has no authority for getting involved. It said the manufacturer, engineers, and lawyers for the injured have been allowed to inspect the ride.

### TEXAS A&M LIBRARY NAMED FOR FORMER DIRECTOR

Sterling C. Evans, in whose honor the TAMU library is named, was among the persons speaking at the decision of the building which has undergone a \$12 million expansion. Evans, a 1921 Texas A&M graduate, is a recipient of the university's Distinguished Alumni Award and a major supporter of the library. He served on The Texas A&M University System Board of Regents from 1959 until 1971 and was chairman in 1963-64.

Regents Chairman Clyde H. Wells will officially present the building to Texas A&M University President Jarvis E. Miller.

### PV LIBRARIAN TO NATIONAL MEET

PV Librarian Frank Francis is expected among the 1890 Land-Grant Library Directors Saturday to meet at the Sheraton Airport Inn in Atlanta, Georgia to co-ordinate information services in support of agriculture and related research at the 1890 land-grant institutions on November 28-29. Mrs. Barbara Williams Jenkins, head librarian at South Carolina State College in Orangeburg, South Carolina will preside.

The organization promotes co-operation between the 1890 land-grant college libraries, assists the directors and staff of the 1890 research programs and encourages the maintenance of high standards of operation within the libraries.

### COMPUTER SCIENCE CONFERENCE SET

The Eighth Annual Employment Register which will be held February 11-14, 1980 in the Radisson Muehlebach Hotel, Kansas City, Missouri as part of the Computer Science Conference. The Conference is sponsored by the Association for Computing Machinery and the Computer Science Departments of many universities.

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Seated from left to right: 1) Lizzie Sanders and Shelia Ward. Standing from left to right are: 1) Radona Harris, 2) Elma Brown, 3) Cynthia Smith, 4) Eva Brooks and Program Director, Dr. Carl Settles. Three new tapes are now available from Operation Careline. They are as follows: 507 Relationships Between You and Your Roommate, 505 Memory and Ways to Improve It, 506 Being Successful After Midsemester. Call 2058 or 2059 for further information.

## "The Delta Tradition"

Those young ladies of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. are continuously breaking new-grounds and are up-holding Delta's tradition for being versatile, as well as, for being leaders on Prairie View's campus.

Cheryl Jamison — Delta's president is carrying on the "Delta Tradition." Along with her full-time president's job, she is student senate-secretary and senior class-assistant secretary. She is also membership chairman of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and an active member of the Society of Women Engineers and Pi Mu Epsilon Math Honor Society.

Annette Moore — Stompmaster and Financial secretary of DST, is 2nd runner-up for

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**DOWN THROUGH THE YEARS** — PV graduates over the years were spotlighted during this special homecoming program sponsored by the History Department. Extension Service Administrator Hoover Carden is shown being presented by Program and department chairman Dr. George Woolfolk.

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## Happy Thanksgiving

By Hedy Ratcliff

Softly blossoming with so much grace  
Each day a child is born, which creates a rising generation.  
The future is bright seek what you desire in a honest fashion.  
Cherish your family with honor  
The beauty of love that binds a family together is a powerful inspiration  
This is a time for joy.  
Happy Thanksgiving, thank God for blessing and guiding you this far along the way.  
Abide by God's will and you'll find happiness.  
Happy Thanksgiving, do good unto all, you have nothing to worry about when you accept Jesus into your life everyday.  
Live for whats right, by kindness.  
Observe the melodies of nature.  
Open your eyes and behold the radiant sun that shines on us all until it swiftly bows and fades away.  
A kind heart will comfort you, just reach out your hand.  
Smile and be grateful this very moment  
Think of how blessed you are to exist for a special cause today.  
This is a time for joy.  
Happy Thanksgiving to you.

## The Meaning of Freedom

By Matthew A. Castille

Long before things got the way that they are for minorities in America, few conversations were had where the elucidation of freedom was not proclaimed. But have we today who have prayed and worked so hard for freedom, going to attempt to deny that same freedom to others, mainly because of our positions and or our personal and prejudice feelings?

A democracy can tolerate that which might not be dreamed about with out fear of repercussions under other forms of governments.

Therefore, let us never forget, that none is ever completely free as long as another remains a slave.

## All-Faiths Chapel Drive Report

The Reverend W. Van Johnson, Dean of Chapel and Director of the All Faiths Chapel Drive is pleased to announce to the Prairie View Family the Status of the All Faiths Chapel Drive here at Prairie View A&M University.

### FINANCIAL REPORT

AS OF

NOVEMBER 14, 1979

### BALANCED BROUGHT FORWARD:

January 1, 1976 to December 31, 1976 .....	\$ 500.00
January 1, 1977 to December 31, 1977 .....	3,055.00
January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978 .....	41,077.64
January 1, 1979 to November 2, 1979 .....	115,665.75

Total Interest Earned from January 1, 1978 to November 9, 1979 .....	3,832.27
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Total Gifts Received and Interest Received From January 1, 1976 to November 14, 1979 ....	165,130.66
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Total Gifts Received as of November 14, 1979 .....	\$165,130.66
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OVER ALL TOTAL: .....\$224,736.66

## Reason

The sun kissed my face as I cried on the and the stars making me realize how things are.

And so nature opened my mind with flowers for beauty and the clouds smiled. For this I looked up and kept my head to the sky. For the moral or the reason, I don't know why.

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## Sociology Class Stages Mock Wedding

At Prairie View A&M on October 17, 1979 at 10:30 Sociology 303 "The Family" held it's annual formal wedding in the Memorial Student Center Ballroom. Mrs. Elizabeth A. Martin is the instructor. The wedding is held each semester to keep perpetuating marriage in the black family. At the beginning of the semester the class was asked by Mrs. Martin "how do you plan to perpetuate your family?" One way of doing this is to hold the mock wedding. This is our way of saying that the union of two persons in holy matrimony is a very good start. Each student was a participant in the ceremony which was a double wedding. They were: Brides, Dirdre Hunter, Shelia Reeves; grooms, Adam Antwine, Phillip Alexander; maids of honor, Yvette Nelson, Jamie Mayhorn; best men, Lee Langston, Kenneth Blake;

parents (bride), Elnora Smith, Earnetta Moore, Authur Maxwell; (grooms) Stephanie Andams, Pat Johnson; bridesmaid, Lauren Chambers, Crystal Braziel, Sheryll Rogers, Denise Myles, Venessa Johnson; groommen, Morris Jones, Michael Love, Elton Foster, Fredrick Lamb, Christopher Kirk, David Porter; flower girl, Lydia Mitchell; preacher, Conrad Green; aunts, Yoland Marrow, Vanessa Price, Roy Torte', Jennifer Toruy, Angela Duplichain; friend of bride, Andrinna Chavis; coordinators, Felicia Wesley, Jan Matthew, Phillpa Jenkin.

Following the ceremony refreshments were served at the reception. Sociology 303 is a very rewarding class, and the person who makes it so is Mrs. Martin. All instructors should show the concern that she does.

Felicia R. Wesley

## Future

What is beyond that we can't see or know. How much longer will patience go. This journey which we travel in only makes us fall in the past again. Oh the future is here dead and gone. To face up with reality, because, one day you will most definitely see. The light, oh yes, the light so right; and pure, are we sure; its the light we snark, or is our future the dark!

Maureen White



PV-ITES WELCOMED HOME — Dr. C. A. Wood greets three generations of former and hopefully a future PV student. Ms. Edwardlene Fleeks (2nd from left) a former Panther Editor, returned for reunion with the class of 1953. She was accompanied by her son (left) and mother, who was a member of the Class of 1939.

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(Psalms: 136:1)

O Give Thanks unto the Lord; for he is good: For his mercy endureth for ever —

This is the season for giving thanks to the Lord. However, Since we are recipients of God's numerous acts of kindness, We should thank him daily.

This 136 Psalms contain 26 verses, each verse states "His mercy endures forever."

In this Psalms, there is nothing but praises. And creation testifies to the majesty and might of God's great power. In the moral world, in the natural world and in the spiritual world.

We are summons to give thanks to God, because he is the God of all.

We are summons to give thanks to God because is the saviour of all.

O Give thanks to God . . .

Although: We have many unhappy experiences. We have problems that need solving. Yet, we are blessed.

Sometimes, we are tossed and driven, on the restless sea of time, Trails dark on every hand. All theways that God would lead us to the blessed promised land;

He will guide us with his eye and we will follow till we die. We will understand it better by and by.

O give thanks to the Lord. O magnify the Lord with me — ye people of his choice.

Praire the Lord for he is holy.

Let the people praise thee o Lord

Let the people praise thee. . .

I. We are summons to give thanks to the Lord.

The Lord is good and upright. He will teach the sinner his way (Psalms 25:8)

The Lord loveth righteousness and judgement,  
The earth is full of his goodness (Psals 33:5)

O taste and see that the Lord is good.

Blessed is the man that trust in him. (Psalms 34:8)

O Give thanks to God

For his mercy is eternal, it is from everlasting to ever lasting (Psalms 103:17)

The Lord's mercy know no bounds.

The Lord's mercy prolongs life.

The Lord is slow to anger.

The Lord will forgive sin.

The Lord's mercy make salvation possible.

The Lord's mercy endureth forever.

So, we are summons to give thanks to the Lord.

Amen

PV Students Are  
Welcome  
at

**VARIETY  
VALUES**

**13th and Austin  
HEMPSTEAD**





**MARINE BIRTHDAY** — Navy Captain Fred Richardson cuts birthday cake celebrating big occasion for U.S. Marines. Former Marine Dr. Purvis Carter is shown with other special guests.

## "The Delta Tradition"

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member of Eta Kappa Nu (Electrical Engineering Honor Society) and a member of IEEE (Institution of Electrical and Electronic Engineers).

**Diunna Greenleaf** — Delta's 1st vice-president, is Miss Prairie View's Woman of the Year 1979-80. She is a member of Alpha Kappa Mu, National Society of Scabbard and Blade, and EIL Honor Societies. She has been on the President's Honor Roll for six consecutive semesters. She is also senior class-chaplain and Miss Delta Co. AROTC. She is a member of the newly established University Concert Committee and the 4th Estate Mass-Communications Club.

**Lovie Teague** — 2nd vice-president of Delta Sigma Theta, is president of EIL Honor Society and Pan-Hellenic Council-secretary. She is an active member of the Women's Council, Marketing and Management Club, and the University Concert Committee.

**Sandra White** — Delta's treasurer, finds the time to be the American Institute for Drafting and Design-secretary, Baptist Student Movement Choir-treasurer, as well as, being Miss Delta Sigma Theta.

**Alecia Hoffman** — Chaplain of Delta Sigma Theta is currently assistant secretary of

the Junior class and Marketing and Management Club. She is a member of the Junior Fellow Organization and is secretary of Prairie View's Hazardous and Safety Committee. Alecia also represents Delta as Miss White.

**LaSina Woodard** — Delta's sergeant-at-arms is presently vice-president of the Society of Women Engineers. She is a member of Pi Mu Epsilon (Math Honor Society), and a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

**Marvel Warner** — Corresponding secretary of Delta Sigma Theta has been on the president's honor roll for four consecutive semesters. She is Miss Red of Delta Sigma Theta and is a member of the Junior Fellows Organization. Marvel is also currently the vice-president of the American Institute of Architects.

**Michele Swayzer** — Another member of Delta Sigma Theta is an active member of Pi Mu Epsilon (Math Honor Society), American Society of Mechanical Engineers, and of the Society of Women Engineers.

These young ladies are filled with pride and perseverance. They are determined in up-holding their best and in carrying on "The Delta Tradition."

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## "A Photograph" at Equinox Theater

PV-its may have an added interest in the play "A Photograph: Lovers in Motion" which runs through December 15 at the Equinox Theater in Houston.

The author is Ntozake Shange, a close relative of Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Owens of Prairie View and Houston. Ms. Shange created the acclaimed "Choreopoem" for Colored Girls Who Have Considered Suicide/When the Rainbow is Enuf" and has several other works in progress.

She has been featured in several Houston publications.

Like liberty, the price of leanness is eternal vigilance. Theodore B. van Italie, MD.



**PRAIRIE VIEW BRASS QUINTET** — The Department of Music will present the Prairie View A&M University Brass Quintet in concert, Thursday, December 6th. The group will perform music written for small brass ensemble ranging from J. S. Bach to the modern black composer, Scott Joplin.

The program is scheduled to begin at 8:00 p.m. and will be held in the Recital Hall of the Hobart Taylor Building.

Pictured above are quintet members (left to right) Nathaniel Brickens, Instructor of Trombone; Lewis Shepard, horn; Hayes McClarron, tuba; Robert Washington, trumpet; and Lucius Wyatt, Professor of Trumpet.

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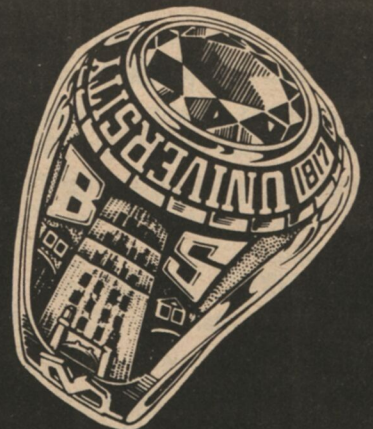
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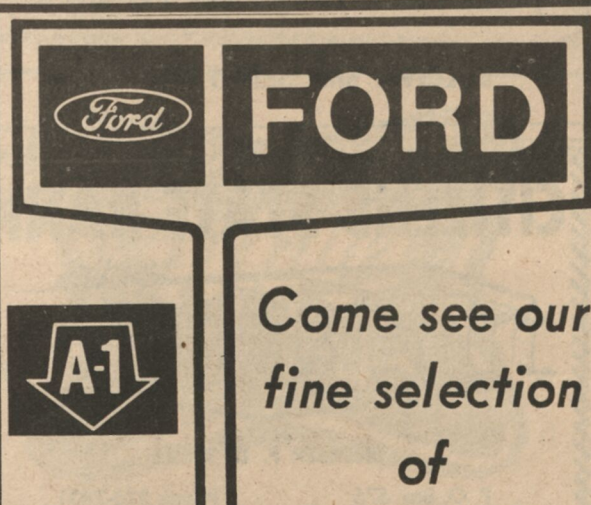
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## EXTENSION WORKSHOP

## Extension Hosts Holiday Workshop

More than 50 Extension personnel from surrounding counties recently participated in a 1-day Holiday Workshop in the Memorial Student Center Ballroom. The workshop provided participants with a variety of ideas and suggestions for holiday gifts, centerpieces, tree ornaments, and other decorations. Emphasis was placed on attractiveness, ease of construction, creativity, and low-cost, using natural materials such as pine cones, leaves, and wild berries.

A highlight of the workshop featured Mrs. Sydney L.

Jones, United Manager, Home Interiors, Inc., Houston. Mrs. Jones demonstrated simple techniques for making wreaths, centerpieces, ribbon bows, and other holiday decorations.

Workshop leaders from the Youth Development Staff

## REMINDER —

United Ministries'  
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NOV. 30-DEC. 2

## Cooperative Extension

## Office Management and Education Workshop Held

On November 8, 1979, the Prairie View Cooperative Extension Program conducted an office education and management workshop under the leadership of Mrs. Marilyn Emanuel, personnel division of the Extension staff. The

included Donnie Pennywell-Rolls, Henry L. Miller, Margie Boler, and Mattie Hickman; also from Neighborhood Improvement Program, Dr. Emerson Sanders; and from the Family Resource Development Program, Zelda R. Williams, who served as workshop coordinator.

An array of holiday decorations constructed by participants before and during the workshop was exhibited.

Educational programs conducted by the Prairie View Cooperative Extension Program serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

Mr. Hoover Carden is the Administrator of the Prairie View A&M University Cooperative Extension Program.

workshop, the first of its kind sponsored by the Extension Program, was a tremendous success and was attended by over 65 faculty, staff, and student members across campus.

The morning session took the form of an inservice training workshop for Extension personnel only. It was conducted by Mrs. Barbara Elliott of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Staff members were specifically taught proper specifics on the revised Extension uniform filing code system. This revised filing system will ensure continuous, efficient and effective management of the Extension program.

The afternoon session was boosted by the presence of Dr. A. I. Thomas who expressed his extreme pleasure and continuous support of this type of effort here at the university. He indicated that the secretaries are the ones who provide the continuity needed in order to keep the entire organization functioning effectively and as a result, we are affected by the actions and attitudes of the secretaries. Dr. Thomas also stressed the importance of proficiency and professionalism at all times. He further stated that secretaries can further enhance their status by taking the C.P.S. (Certified Professional Secretary) exam and become certified.

The remainder of the afternoon session was ably conducted by Dr. Dorisula Hawkins and Dr. Esther Tyler of the College of Business. This segment of the workshop was geared toward indepth training in both theory and practice in professionalism, office decorum, nonverbal communication, decision making, processing incoming/outgoing mail, telecommunications and speedwriting.

It was further indicated that this type of training should become an annual event that will also include administrators and heads of departments.

The session was adjourned by the presentation of plaques to Drs. Hawkins and Tyler, presentation of certificates to those who attended and closing remarks of appreciation were made by Mrs. Emanuel and Mr. Hoover Carden, administrator, Cooperative Extension Program.

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By Cecil Dorsett

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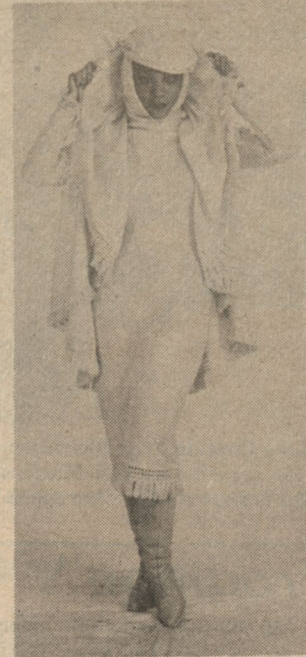
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## AKA Fashion Show Set

By Soror Lonnette T. Jones

The Zeta Gamma Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., will sponsor "Sepia Fashion Fair" featuring the Hamilton Vogue — Esquire Models of Chicago, Wednesday, November 28, 1979 in the Women's Gymnasium of Prairie View A&M University at 8:00 p.m.

The show's theme, "High Chic 79," will feature an array of beautiful, wearable designer's creations, with emphasis on Shapes and High Chic looks. Coats and Capes will play an important part of the presentation. The major emphasis this year will be towards the "Shaped Look." There will be an abundance of outstanding creations for ladies and men expertly shown by top professional models.

Commentary for the 1979 presentation will be delivered by Ms. Karen Broddie, of Washington, D.C., noted Fashion Commentator and Fashion Designer, as well as outstanding creations by young Black Designers. Both European and American Fashion will be shown.

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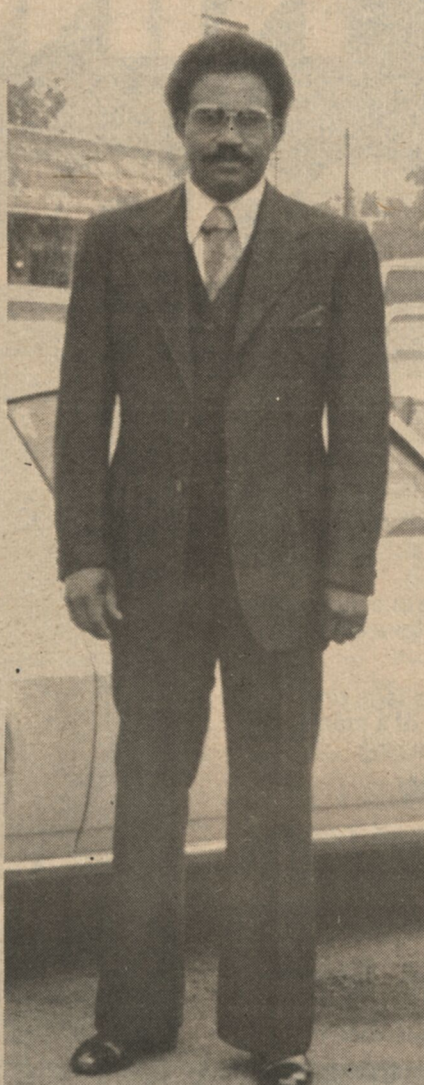
In 1964, Tim married Johnnie Mae Newsom. They are the parents of two daughters, Monica and Atiquawa. Tim attends New Light Baptist Church where he sings in the choir, and with a group known as the "Singing Assemblies."

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# Basketball Season Opens This Week

The Prairie View A&M University Panthers open the 1979-80 basketball season Thursday in a home date against Huston-Tillotson.

"We'll see now if the players have adjusted to me and me to them," said Dr. Calvin White, who will be starting his first

year as basketball coach of his alma mater.

"I am proud of these young men," White said. "They have progressed nicely in practice. But now we'll see just how much they have progressed when we start playing."

The Panthers will have lots

## Upcoming Athletic Events

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25

**BASKETBALL (men)** — Pre-season Tipoff Dinner for men's basketball team, sponsored by Prairie View Basketball Booster Club, Memorial Center, 2:30 p.m.

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29

**BASKETBALL (men and women)** — Huston-Tillotson at Prairie View, Little Dome (women, 5 p.m.-men, 7:30 p.m.)

### FRIDAY-SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30-DECEMBER 1

**BASKETBALL (women)** — Prairie View in Texas Southern Classic, Houston, times to be announced.

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1

**BASKETBALL (men)** — Prairie View at Jarvis Christian Hawkins, Texas 2 p.m.

**TRACK (men and women)** — Prairie View Winter Relays, Blackshear Track, noon.

### MONDAY, DECEMBER 3

**BASKETBALL (men and women)** — Prairie View at Wiley, Marshall, Texas, (women, 5 p.m.-men, 7:30 p.m.)

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4

**BASKETBALL (women)** 8 Prairie View at East Texas Baptist, Marshall, Texas 5 p.m.

**BASKETBALL (men)** — Prairie View at Texas College, Tyler, Texas 7:30 p.m.

### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6

**BASKETBALL (women)** — Paul Quinn at Prairie View, Little Dome, 7 p.m.

### FRIDAY-SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7-8

**BASKETBALL (men)** — Prairie View at Oklahoma Christian College Classic, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Times to be announced.

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12

**BASKETBALL (women)** — Prairie View at North San Jacinto, Houston, Texas, 7 p.m.

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15

**BASKETBALL (men)** — Prairie View at Southwest Texas, San Marcos, Texas, 7:30 p.m.

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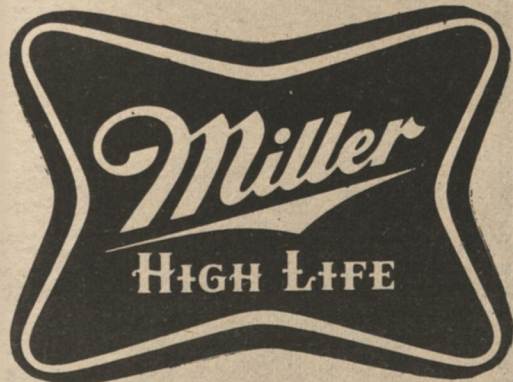
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Clarence Hill, a 5-10 senior from Houston Yates and Craig Reggins, a 6-1 senior from Houston Kashmere are expected to start at guard.

Other lettermen who could find their way into the starting lineup at tipoff time Thursday night are Melvin Smith, a 6-8 senior from San Antonio; Reginal Spivey, a 6-7 junior from Houston Kashmere, Al Cross, a 6-6 junior from Houston Carver, Johnny Price, a 6-2 junior from Ft. Worth Dunbar, Anthony Robinson, a 6-7 senior from San Antonio, Roland Williams, a 6-8 junior from Houston Madison and Melvis Wooten, a 6-0 senior from Crockett.

Willie McDowell, a 6-3 freshman from Ft. Worth Dunbar, Gary Outlen, a 5-10

freshman from Atlanta, Georgia, Al Reynolds, a 6-4 sophomore from Houston Kashmere, Michael Shelton, a 6-5 freshman from Port Arthur, Tilden Trotter, a 6-4 freshman from Pine Bluff and Kevin Vanderbilt, a 6-2 freshman from Wiggins, Mississippi are expected to also see lots of action this season.

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1979-80 PANTHERETTES BASKETBALL TEAM — From left, Debra Gardner, Felecia Harris, Enora Lee, Betty McNair, Mitzel Marshall, Dianna Williams, Sandra Garnett, Stephanie Williams, Sharnarion Brown, Linda K. Morrison, Kathy A. Wiley. Coach Jesse H. Hurst, seated.



1979-80 PANTHER BASKETBALL TEAM — Front row, from left, Reginald Spivey, Melvin Wooten, Clarence Hill, Madison Lane, Kevin Vanderbilt, Johnny Price, Al Reynolds. Standing, from left, R. E. Brooks, Tilden Trotter, Al Cross, Melvin Smith, Craig Reggins, Roland Williams, Michael Shelton, Willie McDowell, Anthony Robinson.

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## "CLOSE-UPS"

(From Recent Homecoming Parade)



STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS kept the PV tradition of campus feminine beauty alive as shown in the sample above of the presentations during the big parade.